

I believe that allowing a corporation to own both a newspaper and a television station in the same region is not in the public interest and an obstacle to free speech. When one company owns all of the media outlets in a particular town, it could become increasingly difficult for individuals or groups that the company is biased against to make their voices heard. The current rules are an important safeguard against the media becoming more homogenized than it already is, and should be kept.

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